

State of California
Regional Water Quality Control Board
San Diego Region

EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT
June 11, 2003

ITEM: 9

SUBJECT: Administrative Assessment of Civil Liability against Standard Pacific Homes for violations of the statewide construction storm water general permit, Order No. 99-08-DWQ. The Regional Board will consider comments received during the public review period and decide on an order accepting payment of the proposed liability and waiver of hearing. (Tentative Order No. R9-2003-0244) (Rebecca Stewart)

PURPOSE: The Regional Board will decide whether to adopt tentative Order No. R9-2003-0244 accepting settlement of civil liability in the amount of \$30,000.

PUBLIC NOTICE: On April 18, 2003, a notice was published in the San Diego Union Tribune informing the public of the proposed enforcement action against Standard Pacific Homes. Public notification for this item was also provided via the Regional Board Agenda Notice for the May 14, 2003 meeting. The 30-day public comment period ended on May 19, 2003.

DISCUSSION: On April 16, 2003 the Executive Officer issued Complaint No. R9-2003-0151 for Administrative Civil Liability in the amount of \$30,000 against Standard Pacific Homes for violations of Order No. 99-08-DWQ, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Storm Water Runoff Associated with Construction Activity* at the Sunbow Unit 12 development in Chula Vista, California.

On April 21, 2003, Standard Pacific Homes waived its right to a public hearing and paid the assessment of civil liability proposed in the Complaint.

If the Regional Board does not adopt the tentative Order, a hearing will be rescheduled for a future Regional Board meeting.

No comments concerning this matter were received during the 30-day comment period.

LEGAL CONCERNS: None.

SUPPORTING
DOCUMENTS:

- (1) Location Map.
- (2) Tentative Order No. R9-2003-0244.
- (3) Waiver of Hearing Form signed April 21, 2003.
- (4) Complaint No. R9-2003-0151 dated April 16, 2003.
- (5) Technical Analysis, Proposed Administrative Civil Liability Contained in Complaint No. R9-2003-0151, Standard Pacific Homes, Noncompliance with Order No. 99-08-DWQ, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit for Storm Water Discharges Associated With Construction Activity (General Permit).

RECOMMENDATION: The adoption of tentative Order No. R9-2003-0244 is recommended.